

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
EXAMINING GROUP 2785
Docket No.: 122.1222RE**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Yoshifusa TOGAWA et al.

Serial No. 09/893,445

Group Art Unit: 3621

Confirmation No. 6318

Filed: June 29, 2001

Examiner: Pierre Elisca

For: STORAGE DEVICE HAVING FUNCTION FOR COPING WITH COMPUTER VIRUS

RESPONSE AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Attention: **BOX AF**

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed January 4, 2007, and having a period for response set to expire on April 4, 2007. A Petition for a three-month extension of time, together with the requisite fee for same, is submitted herewith, thereby extending the period for response to July 4, 2007.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.